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PRESS CONFERENCE AND DEMONSTRATION

WSP, SPD, KCSO, and LoJack Announce Partnership to Combat Auto Theft

When: Tuesday, April 15, 2003 10 a.m.

What: A media event announcing the official launch of the LoJack Stolen Vehicle

Recovery System (SVRS) in the Puget Sound region. The LoJack system

is an innovative tool that pairs state-of-the-art technology and law

enforcement resources to recover stolen vehicles. Learn about the SVRS

from LoJack representatives and law enforcement personnel and

participate in a demonstration by riding with ground and air units as they test track a LoJack-equipped vehicle. The demonstration will provide an excellent opportunity to interview and photograph troopers, officers, and deputies who are actively using the LoJack system. Media packets and

fact sheets will be provided at the event.

Speakers: Washington State Patrol Deputy Chief Lowell Porter, Seattle Police Chief

Gil Kerlikowski, King County Sheriff Dave Riechert, and LoJack President

Ron Rossi

Where: King County International Airport (Boeing Field)

King County Sheriff's Office Special Operations Hangar

8600 Perimeter Road, Seattle WA 98108

For Driving Directions: http://www.metrokc.gov/airport

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